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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

KYLE EVERETT, an individual, in his capacity as Chapter 7 Trustee and Plan Agent for Pacific Metro, LLC, Plaintiff, v. ART BRAND STUDIOS, LLC, a California limited liability company; ART BRAND RETAIL, LLC, a California limited liability company; MARK MICKELSON, an individual; and DOES 1 THROUGH 20, inclusive, Defendants.	Case No: 5:16-cv-01322-LHK Judge: Hon. Lucy K. Koh **JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT** Case Management Conference Date: March 15, 2017 Time: 2:00 p.m.
ART BRAND STUDIOS, LLC, a California limited liability company, Counter-Claimant v. KYLE EVERETT, an individual, in his capacity as Chapter 7 Trustee and Plan Agent for Pacific Metro, LLC, Counter- Defendant	

JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT

Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant Kyle Everett, in his capacity as the Chapter 7 Trustee ("Plaintiff") for the bankruptcy estate of Pacific Metro, LLC (the "Debtor") and Defendants Art Brand Studios, LLC ("ABS"), Art Brand Retail, LLC ("ABR") and Mark Mickelson ("Mickelson", and together with ABS and ABR, the "Defendants") jointly submit this Joint Case Management Statement in anticipation of the Case Management Conference scheduled for March 15, 2017.

STATUS OF SETTLEMENT

Plaintiff has provided Defendants with draft settlement documents and is awaiting comments from Defendants. Plaintiff also understands that Defendants are making progress with their insurance carrier regarding the settlement.

Once the settlement documents are agreed upon, Plaintiff will seek bankruptcy court approval of the settlement. If the settlement is approved by the Bankruptcy Court, the Trustee will dismiss this lawsuit.

SUBMITTED BY:

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